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BAZHENOVO AMMUNITION DEPOT BAZHENOVO, USSR URAL MD

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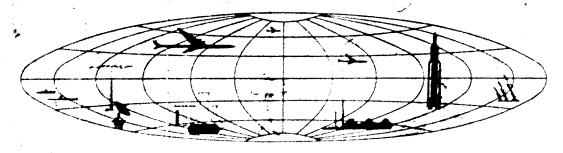


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PREFACE

This report is one in a series on Soviet Ground Force and Logistic installations being prepared for a DIA/CIA Panel. The series is being coordinated, published and disseminated by NPIC. The photographic analysis is being performed by the NPIC Photographic Analysis Group, the CIA Photographic Intelligence Division (NPIC), and the Production Center 1P1c (DIA). The photographic analysis for this particular report was performed by the CIA Photographic Intelligence Division.

In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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BAZHENOVO AMMUNITION DEPOT (56-47N 061-24E) BAZHENOVO, SVERDLOVSKAYA OBLASŤ, USSR URAL MD

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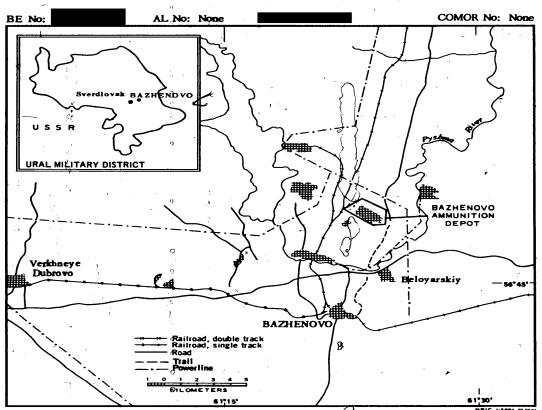


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF BAZHENOVO AMMUNITION DEPOT.

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SUMMARY

Bazherovo Ammunition Depot is located approximately 7 kilometers (km) north-north-west of Bazhenovo (Figure 1). The installation is served by a spur from the Sverdlovsk-Tyumen rail line and has all-weather, secondary road access to Bazhenovo. Other installations in the vicinity include Bobrovskiy Regional Military Storage Area, located about 22 km to the southwest, and the Sverdlovsk Complex, located 39 km west of the depot.

This double-secured installation (Figures 2 and 3) covers approximately 670 acres and includes 76 large storage buildings, 25 support buildings, three barracks, one administration building, and an athletic field.

Comparative analysis indicates the installation has maintained the same general level of usage and undergone no apparent change between its initial coverage, in

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The installation is served by five sidings from a branch line out of Bazhenovo.

Road Service

There is probable all-weather, secondary road access to Bazhenovo.

Administrative and Tapop Housing Area

Area D (Figure 3) contains an administration building, three barracks, and 25 support

buildings.. This is a probable administrative/ support area for the depot.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F contains seventy-six 140- by 25-foot storage buildings. Each storage building is rail served.

Athletic Eield

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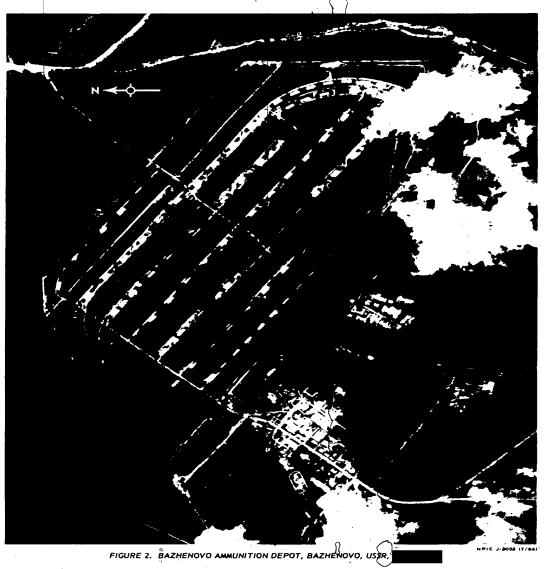


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MAPS OR CHARTS

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